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In re Letters Patent of:
Tie Lan et al.

Patent No.: 6,828,370

Issued: December 7, 2004

For: INTERCALATES AND EXFOLIATES
THEREOF HAVING AN IMPROVED LEVEL
OF EXTRACTABLE MATERIAL

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
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of Correction

Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted typographical errors which should be corrected.

In the Specification:

Title page, (57) Abstract, line 1, delete "invetion" and insert -- invention --.

Title page, (57) Abstract, line 2, delete "polymer" and insert -- polymer --.

Title page (57), Abstract, line 5, delete "derected" and insert -- directed --.

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Claim 4, column 25, line 63, delete "claim 1" and insert -- claim 2 --.

Claim 6, column 26, line 24, delete "claim 1" and insert -- claim 5 --.

Claim 20, column 28, line 2, insert -- or -- between "montmorillonite" and "sodium".

The errors were not in the application as filed by applicant; accordingly no fee is required.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this request. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 28682/71114 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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